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Acting Manager. Hongkong, December 3, 1892. 2118

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Hongkeng, December 3, 1892.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instruc-Lions to Sell by Public Auction, on TUESDAY.

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SPEARS. A VARIETY OF OTHER ARTICLES. Catalogues will be issued previous to the Sale, and the above will be on view on

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FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUI. Apenrade, for Haiphong. The Co.'s Steamship. Captain Davis, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 6th Instant, at Georgietta, for Whampos.

Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, December 3, 1892. FOR SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, SAMA-RANG AND SOURABAYA.

The Steamship Gouv. Generaal & Jacob, Capt. A. J. DE BLINDE, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 7th Instant,

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Date of Leaving. A jents. Vestels. Destinatio . Norddeutscher Lloyd. Dec. 11, at 10 a.m. Bremen & Ports o Gall Darmstadt (a). Messageries Maritimes Dec. 5, at noon. Hoihow and Haiphong Haiphong (s) London v. Suez Canal Diomed (s)..... Butterfield & Swire ... December 7. . P. & O. S. N. Co..... Dec. 8, at noon. London & Ports of Call Sutley (a) Arphold, Karberg&Co. About Dec. 14. London, v. Ports of Call Ningshow (a). Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About December L'don, H'bg, A'wp, &c. Breconshire (s).... Marsoilles, v. Ssigon . Natal (a)..... Meanageries Maritimes Dec. 14, at noon. Shewan & Co..... About Dec. 10. Shewan & Co..... Quick despatch. Butterfield & Swire ... December 23. Port Darwin, &c Ohingtu (s) ... S. Francisco, v. Japan CityofRiodeJaneiro(s) Pacific Mail S. S. Co. Dec. 10, at 1 p.m. Dec. 20, at 1 p.m. O. & O. S. S. Co.... S. Francisco v. Jana Gaelio (s)..... Shewau & Co.....Quick despatch San Francisco.......Sigurd ... Butterfield & Swire ... December 9. Shanghai, via Amoy ... Prometheus (s) P. & O. S. N. Co..... Quick despatch. S'bai, N'ki, K'bé&Y'ma Malwa (a). S'pore, Havre & H'bur Niebe (5)...... S'pore, Penang & O'tta Catherine Apear (s).... D. Sassoon, Sons & Co. Dec. 8, at noon. S'pore, S'baya & S'rang Gouv. Gen. S'Jacob (s) Jardine, Mathesca & Co Dec. 7, at 3 p.m. Swatow, Amoy & T'aui Hailoong (2) Douglas Lapraik & Co. Dec. 4, daylight. .. Douglas Lapraik & Co. Dec. 6, daylight. Swatow, Amoy & T'aui Fokien (s)..... Vancouver (BO) & Empress of Japan (s). Canadian P fo R. Co. Dec. 28, at noon. Yokohama and Kobé. Laiyuan (s).....Butterfield & Swire...Dec. 11, daylight.

MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL. To-day's Advertisements. Mr H. Allen Mr S. L. Benjama THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM Mr Hart Buck

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SHIPPING. ARRIVALS

December 2 :-Taiyuan, British steamor, 1,549, Robert Coal and General. - BUITERFIELD & SWIRE. December 3:-

Toonan, Chinese str., from Whampoa. Woosung, British str., from Whampoa. Doris, German str., from Whampon, Yarra, French steamer, 2,675, de Maubeuge, Maracilles October 30 Alexandria November 4, Port Said 5, Suez 6, Aden 11, Colombo 18, Singapore 24, and Saigon 28, Mails and General.-Messagentes Mart-

Cherng Hye Teng, British steamer, 923 M. G. Scott, Penang via Singapore Nov. 24 General.—Bun Hin Chan.

M. A. Rotch, American ship, 1,664, T. Bray, San Francisco October 13, General. -CHINESE.

DEPARTURES. December 3:-Santa Clara, for New York.

Kucana Lee, for Shanghai. Holstein; for Saigon. Weasung, for Swatow. Koushing, for Amoy. Porpoise, British gunboat, for Kinkiang. Choysong, for Sh nghai.

CHEXAGO

Mirm. for Swatow. Hailoong, for Swatow. Doris, for Saigon. Cheang thue Teng, for Amoy. Charters Tower, for Kutchinotzu.

PASSENGERS.

Per Taiyuan, from Australia, Miss Marshall, and 59 Chinese. Per Yarra for Hongkong: from Marseilles, Mrs Edgar, Mr and Mrs Ackroyd Mr Skools, Rev. Kircher, Meiers Gottbich Wiencke, Weill, Emile Levy, and Paul 2120 Block; from Colombo, Mr Lonvey; from Singapore, Measrs Deaker, Chwa Sung, Wom Soff, See Ewe Boon, Yip Look, Chan Ly Choon, Wing Song, Cheo Kich Soon, Osetu, and 3 Chinese; from Saigon, Mr Franck Walcot, Mr A Lovy, and 234 Chinese. For Shanghai: from Marseilles, Capt. Domogiroft, Mesers Stanmeleack, Hargreaves, Boulegini, and Senlli; from Singapore, Mrs Otoyo; from Saigon, Mr Mevel. For K be : from Marseillea, Mrs Braendle. For Yokohama : from Marseilles, Messrs R. Lavy, Turuda Comekichi, Revs. Riband and Cherel, and Mr Jourdier ; from Singapore,

> Per Cheang Hye Teng, from Singapore, SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Taiyuan reports

Had light to moderate winds and fine weather to Cabra; thence strong mensoon with very heavy sea to arrival.

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memos, for to-morrow. Shipping. Daylight .- Haileong leaves for B'tow, &c.

Goods per Bellona undelivered after this date subject to rent. Goods per Catherine Appar undelivered after this date landed.

hold Furniture, &a., at Mr J. M. Armstrong's. after Noon subject to rent.

&c. at Mr Goo. P. Lammert's. THURSDAY, December 15:-2 p.m .- Austion of Valuable Leasehole

Carthy, R.E. Rev R. F. Cobbold Mrs D. F. MacCarthy and infant Mrs Van Nicrop Mr J. B. Coughtrio Mr A. Ross Evensong at 5.45. Union CHURCH, Kennedy Road,-Min-

11.00 A.M. and 6 P.M. ST. PETER'S SPAMEN'S CHURCH, Sailors

WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH.-Divine Service at 10.30 A.M. in St, Audrow's Hall City Hall.

Per Haiphong, at 11.30 a.m., on Monday, Sr. Joseph's Churcu, Garden Road. 9 A.M. Mass and Sermon, 5.30 r.m. Evening Service, Benediction. Per Memnon, at 11.30 a.m.; on Wednes-GREMAN BETHEEDA CHAPEL -- Service in the German language, by Rev. R. Gett-For SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, SAMARschalk every Sunday, at 11 A.M., in the Per Goo. Gen. Facob, at 2.30 p.m., on

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Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyond, vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Netherlands India, Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibrilian usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, do,

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET,-The United States Mail Packet City of Rio de Janeiro will be despatched on SATUR-DAY, the 10th Instant, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Poru, &c., which will be closed as follows :-

0.15 c.m. Registry ceases. 0.30 P.M. Post-Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet, with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage, until the time of departure.

MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET. -The German Contract Packet Darmstadt will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 10th December, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, vid Brindis; to the Straits Scitlements, Batavis, Barmah, Coylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, åc., 800.

Registry coases at 4.4" P.M. The mail closes at 5 p.m. A supplementary mail will be close on Sunday, at 9 a m.

HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS. When the Pachets leave at Noon.

The following hours will be observed in closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the English and French Packets, when they leave at Noon. The Money Order Office will be closed at 5 the day before. 8.00 A. M. Posting of Prices Current and Circulars causes.

(Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in bundles, country by country, with the addresses all .(YAW OCC 10.00 A.M. Registry consess.

10.30 A.M. -- Posting of Newspapers Books, and Patterns casses. 1L00 A.M. - Mail closes. LATE LINES may be posted (from 11.10 A.M. Wolth 10 cents late fee up to

11.30 L. M., after which hour they may

be sent on Board with the same Late

PEAK DRIVERY .- Letters, &c., will be delivered by the 12 and 3.50 o'clock Trams only. Correspondence and Parcels for the Peak may be posted in the Ganeral Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. or 3 p.m., or in the Letter Boxes in the Cars till time of Departure. With regard to letters from the Peak additional Letter Boxes have been A Large and Varied ASSORTMENT of affixed to Police Boxes at Mazzzine Cap. by Peak Church, and at Mount Kellet, which will be cleared at 12,30 and 4 p.m. Local Rates will be charged. No Sunday delivery. Senders are requested to cancel their Stamps by writing the word Stamped

Notes, do, should be registered. Letters Paccels, &c., for Kowloon Point and steamers in Harbour may be posted in the General Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. and 8:30 p.m. Letters from Kowloon Point may be Mr José F. Constan-Mr W. Jose Michaels | posted in the Letter Box which has been placed in the Police Station Compound up

seroes them. Covers containing Bank

to 13 and 4 o'clock Local rates will be charged. To avoid robbery, senders of letters from Kowloon are requested to cancel their stamps by writing the word stamped scrows

Covers containing Bank Notes, Jewellery ato. should be registered. Mr Charles Wonyon | There will be no Sonday delivery.

MEMOS. FOR MONDAY. Shipping. Noon. - Haipliong leaves for Hollow, &c. Miscellaneous.

General Memoranda. TUESDAY, December 6 :-2.30 p.m .- Auction of Sundry House-

FRIDAY, December 9 :--Goods per Steamer Yarra unclaimed BATUEDAY, December 10 :--2.30 p.m.-Auction of Japanese Wares,

RELIGIOUS SERVICES. Sr. John's Cathedral. - Parade Service at 8.30 A.M. (Holy Communion 2nd and 4th Sundays.) Matins at 11. Holy Communion at the 11 o'clock service on the 1st, 3rd, and 5th Sundays in the month.

ister Rev. G. H. Bondfield, -Services at Home. - Service on Sunday, at 11 A. M. and 6.30 P.M. The Holy Communion is administered on the 1st and 3rd Sundays in the month at 11 A.M.; on the 2nd and 5th at 7.30 A.M.; and on the 4th, at the Evening

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THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY. Hoogkong, November 9, 1892.

at 7.30 p.m. The China Mail.

HONGKONG, BATURDAY, DECEMBER S, 1892.

TELEGRAMS. |SUPPLIED TO THE CHINA MAIL (Via Southern Line.)

THE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY CONFERENCE. LONDON, 2nd December, 1892, There is reason to believe that the repor of the Conference Committee will be unfayourable to Rothschild's scheme. The prospects of any practical outcome

of the Conference are vanishing. ANOTHER MEMBER OF PARLIA-MENT UNSEATED.

Mr N. G. Clayton (Conservative), the member for Hexham, has been unseated on account of illegal acts in connection wit. his election.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

PASSED SUES CANAL TWARD BOUND :- Ext. Oct. 11; Douglas, 18; Cathay, 21; Pembrokeshire, and was thus buoyed to safety. Harewood, 11; Aglaia, 15; Dardanus, 18; Glengyle, Melbourne, 22.

Malacca, 18 : Benvenue, 22. he P. & O. s.s. Malwa, with the English of silk. The matter had lately been ander from Hongkong on Sept. 29.

The R. M. S. Empress of Japan, from kong at 10 p.m. on Friday, Dec. 2, and may be expected here early on Monday morning, Dec. 5. The O. & D. s. a. Gaelic, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port via Yoke-

hama on Nov. 16. The Austrian Lloyd's steamship Elektra, from Bombay, left Singapore on Nov. 24, and may be expected here on or about Dec. 3. The P. and O. s. s. Shanghai, from Bom-

bay for this port, left Singapore on

Nov. 27, and may be expected here

on or about Dec. 4 UNION CHURCH. -BUNDAY, DECEMBER 3, 11 A.M. Hymns. 218, 344, 257; Anthem,

Pealm, 62. ORDER OF CHORAL SERVICE AT ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL .- 2ND SUNDAY IN ADVENT. Matins :- Venite, Lee : Paalms, Monk, Aldrich & Woodward; Benedicite, Best in C; Jubilate, Hayes; Anthem, · Sleepers wake, a voice is calling Kyrie, Marbeck (Cathedral Prayer Book); Hyun, 52; Offertory,

tences (Barnby).

rived by the French Mail.

to Kowleon dock this afternoon.

and Kobe.

Evensong :- Psalma, Gess, Morgan Hopkins; Magnificat & Nune Dimittis, Trimnell in D; Anthem, Holiest breathe an evening blessing; Bymns, 226 & 204. B.M.S. Porpoise left to-day for Kiukiang.

THE delivery of the Franch mail was begun at 8.55 a.m. to-day. THE French mail steamer Yarra went over

THE following appointment has been made at the Admiralty: Commander E. P. Ashe, to the Victor Emanuel.

will be due early on Monday morning. THE R. M. S. S. Empress of India, from Hongkong, arrived at Shanghai at 10 p.m. on Friday and leaves at 10 p.m. on Saturday for Yokohama and Vanconver via Nagasaki

Freeman, for a second commission on the still feels very sore at the sum it is forced China Station. The Redpole was commissioned at Devonport on Nov. 20, 1889, and her present erew will be relieved by a new crew despatched from England in December. Haraston's show is expected to invade her arrival on the station twelve years ago. the colony early on Monday morning.

will at once proceed to spread itself over

time will be lost in getting ready for the

opening performance, the announcement

mission the first-class gunboat Redpole,

A PARAGRAPH appears in the London and necessary she could proceed with greater China Express in which Mr M. F. light draguht for their size, drawing Same, brother of Cept. Same, of the Bok- only seven feet of water when fully hara, thanks all friends of his late brother which renders them so valuable for river who, though personally unknown to him, service, and especially in the Yangtane. have sent him expressions of condolance. At least four of these gunboats might be employed in the Yangtuza. The Consuls are continually forced to ask for naval prosuch a time and at so early a date to tection, and the Admiral ofter finds it im-

THE train convoying the Indian, China, jug experience, and one but rively met with and Australian mails to Brindist, which in these times of peace. She found herecis left London on the 21st inst had a in the centre of a number of fire ships parrow escape of being wrecked near which came floating down swiftly with the Percare on the 23rd inst. At 9.25 a.M., ourrest. The Low was further embarraced Percare on the 23rd met. At 9.20 4.M., ourrest. In our was lutther emparated ahortly after the express passed through by a number of diamay cargo junks that had this station, the two leading wheels of the burriedly cast off from the banks to escape locomotive slipped off the metals, one of the fire. The blue cokets on board the field them being fractured. Fortunately the armed with spars, spent the pight in wards driving wheels remained on the line, but ing off these drifting junks, and behaved, see the engine ran for some 400 yards with usual, splendidly. The scent recalled to the front wheels scraping the permanent mind one of those old plotures of night hatway. After a delay of an hour and threedesir which fireships blayed such as inquarters another engine was procured to portant part. So that, after all, life on the
convey the train to Brindish. No one was Upper Yangtate is not without its expile-

messages of sympathy.

The publication of this issue commenced A Loudon correspondent says in I am assured by a friend of Sir William Harcourt's that his ayes have not been improved by his visit to the Continental specialists. It is singular how the immediste sasociates of Sir William Este sought to dispuise the seriousness of the malady. There is, however, now no longor any doubt, despite their attempts at concealment, that the affection is of a momentons character, and may estiously affect fir Willam's future as a statesmin I give the report which I have received with reluctance. No man would desire so fell a visitation to a political opponent as that which threatens the Chancolor of the

> A CORRESPONDENT of the Indian Planters. Cazette, writing of the low of the P. & O. s.e. Bolhara, says :- On board were the Houghong team of oricksters, returning from a match they had been playing in Shanghai Among these was poor John Dung, No public school ever turned out a better all-round man. But cricket was his forte. He was good enough for any county eleven and has made some enormous scores. The Liverpool Regiment owned him before he went into the Army Service Corps, and when John, E. G. Wynyard, Davidson, Elliot, Richardson, Greenway and others I might mention were in the regimental team, it was a bad business for the other aide. Se far as I can gather from newspaper reports, Dr Lowson appears to have been the only passenger on board who kept his head. He was swept overboard but had put on a cork belt, with which every cabin in a P. & O. boat is thoughtfully prorided,

A contous question has recently been HOMEWARD BOUND :- Kostroma, Oct. 25; raised in regard to the appointment of lilectra, Neckar, Sydney, Nov. 11; Queen's Counsel in the colonies, It ap-Lacries. Camelot, Glengarry, Radnor. Dears that in Canada it has for some time shire, 15; Cyclops, Moyune, Prick, been assumed that the Governor General, and even the Lieutenant-Governors of provinces, had power to confer the dignity MAIL of Nov. 4. left Singapore on discussion in South Australia, and the Tuesday, November 29, at 5 p.m., opinion of Mr Madden, a well-known and may be expected here on or about Anstralian jurist, has been taken on the Monday, Dec. b, at 1 p.m. This packet subject. That gentleman considers that brings replies to letters despatched the right to appoint Queen's Counsel forms part of the royal prerogative of bestowing titles of honour, and that it can therefore Vanconver, left Shanghai for Hong, only be exercised by the sovereign or by an agent, specifically delegated to exercise it, and that, as the authority has not been specifically conferred ou governors, they have no power to bestow the title. The Colonial Office has now sent a circular to the governors of the various colonies, enclosing Mr Madden's opinion, and inviting observations on the point. There would seem to be no good reason why colonial governor should have power to appoint Queen's Counsel while he has not the right to confer any other little of honour .- Law Journal.

A MERTING took place on the 24th nit, at Exeter Hall to take farewell of a number of missionaries who are proceeding to China, under the auspices of the China 17; Inland Mission. An address was given by the Rev. J. Hudson Taylor, Fifteen months ago the directors of the London Missionery Society decided on a forward movement involving an addition of 100 to their foreign staff. Fifteen have already been sent out; and on the 26th ult. twenty-two more; with four who go to replace others, and four who are simply returning to their work, bade farewell to their constituents at a meeting in Rieter. hall. Lord Kinnaird took the chair. The tweenty-six now missionsries, some of whom gave short addresses, were introduced by the Rev. G. Cousins, and amongst them are :- Mr S. Lavington Hart, D.Sc., Cambridge; bound for Hankow; Mr J. Walford Hart, hitherto a solicitor, for Changking; Mr G. S. Walton, M. B. Edin., for Hian Kan; Miss E. M. Herris, L.R.C.P., to superintend the Mr Justice Ackroyd and Mrs Ackroyd ar-Margaret Memorial Hospital, Hankow, and her sister. Miss M. Harris, for the same station : Miss E. R. Carling: of Suildford. and Miss M. H. Parslow, for Chiang Chin; the Ret. G. J. Williams, of Hackney College, for Canton Amongst the missionaries returning was Mr. T. Gillison, M.B., U.M., in charge of the hospital at

THE following items are from the London & China Express:-It is announced that in consequence of a series of minuderstundings with M. de Laussean, Governor of THE R. M. S. Empress of Japan reached Indo-China, General Reste, Commander-in-Chief of the Erench forcer in the Shanghal at 10 a.m. on Friday, and left at | Far East, is returning to France. The 10 p.m. same day for Hongkong, where she Government has advised M. de Lancina that the General's application to return to Franco is granted. First, Admiral Fournier, now, General Beste. An autsider may be pardoned for asking what It'sll means. The Governor-General of Inco-China is said to have fixed at twenty-three millions of france the military budget of Tong-King for next year. The current year was twenty-five millions, and leaves a deficit of nearly five millions. It is not THE Admiralty have decided to recom- easy to understand how the figure is to be reduced for next year, as some of the effectives on be spared in the present state 6. Lieut.-Commandor Frederick H. P. W. of affairs in the country. Coobin China to contribute towards the expanses in Tong-

A correspondent at lehang, writing to the

Naval and Military Record, with regard to

Hankow.

the pavel service on the Yangtaze River, says:-The gunboat Esk has for the first time, proved useful in this especity, she having been practically nuemployed since It It would perhaps be advisable to send out from home some of the other gunbosts of this type now rotting in the recerves. the reclaimed ground at West Point and no These could be utilised here, and would free other vessels from the general work of the station. The Esk has just returned to Ichang for the winter after a resit at of which will be found in our advertising Shanghai. She succeeded in making fairly good speed against the strong currents of the Yangtaze on her passage up, and if answer the numberless letters, telegrams and possible to send to their aid, Meanwhile the few gunboats employed in the river have not lacked adventures. Shortly after her arrival at Inhang the East had a very excit-

ments and even dangers.

THE Russian Minister at Poking has notified his Government that the construction of the Manchurian Reilway beginning to most with serious difficulties from the special Financial Committee appointed by the Chinese Government to decide as to the advantages to be derived from the line.

Owrna has sent the following letter to the secretary of the Peace Society, under the heading of Decorated Butchers':-Any one who has forced himself to read the sickening details of the Distance Ride from Berlin to Vienna, and vice vered, must be struck by the frightful injury to the moral feeling of both nations done by this horrible spectacle of legalized and honoured torture. It is absolutely useless for laws to be framed, and pocieties to be formed, for the prevention of cruelty and insulcation of humanity, when sovereigns, princes, and gentlemen ' lend themselves to commit and to admire such brutality. If the riders had desired to prove their own endurance they could have done so equally well with relays of horses: and the disgusting agony inflicted on the noble beasts which they have tortured and murdered would not have, been given. in all its demoralizing infamy, to the public. To summon and fine or imprison a carter for overworking his horse, while an officer who has ridden his charger to death is feasted and decorated by emperors, is one of those examples of one measure for the rich and another for the poor' which are the justifiestion of the Anarchist. Every one of these decorated butchers who have been received and applauded by the roung Kaiser and the old one, at Berlin and Vienna, should be degraded and imprisoned, if there be any reality, whatever in the laws against cruelty wand in the professions of civilization. It is wholly useless to preach mercy to the multitudes when, along the highways, they can behold man of royal and noble blood spurring their animals to death, or dragging them into the goal 'dripping with blood, sweating and screaming with ageny, the spines twisted out of shape, the hoofs dropping off from inflammation.

GALES IN THE CHINA SEA. Dr Doberck writes to-day :- The following notice was issued at 10.80 a.m.: N.E. gales continue in the China Sea. Barometer almost steady. Gradients steep for N.E. winds. Weather overcast, cold and damp, (Issued at 10.30 a.m.)

ARRIVAL OF THE FRENCH MAIL All fears as to the safety of the French mail steamer Yarra were allayed by her arrival at midnight. She experienced very severe weather immediately after her departure from Saigon, and lost one of the blades of her propeller. Beyond this she sustained no damage. She will dock and have her propeller repaired before proceeding north. H.M.S. Pallas was under orders to go to sea this morning in the event of the Yarra failing to turn up in order to find out any particulars regarding her. There will be a feeling of satisfaction not only over the safe arrival of the mail steamer but on account of the promptness with which Commodora Pal lisser arrived at a decision to render assistance if required.

'FRAGRANT WATERS! MURMUR That I mentioned a fortnight ago the Governor had spoken, and I have now to add that the Colonial Secretary has 'orated,' That the Unofficials had their innings at the Finance Committee, when the Officials declined to bat.

That the Captain of the Official team, or going in at the Council meeting, made a rattling score, and had it all to himself. That he trundled bis mop just a little too much, the not overclean shower bespattering the opposing team all over. and once or twice beamsaring the

trundler as well. That the Colonial Becretary not kicked his opponents downstairs, but followed them down and (metaphorically) danced upon their prestrate forms. That this effort of Mr O'Brien's was clever, carefully-prepared and perhaps brilliant as a Parliamentary display of debating

power, but it was not politic. That Mr O'Brien is clearly a fighting man who is often in a fighting mood, but he is not the man to allay exasperated feeling or to pour oil upon troubled waters. That the Governor may have been wise to call in the aid of this doughty henchman to do the rough work, but the victory cannot be looked upon with unmixed

pleasure even by Sir William. That it is not often the ugliest features of the autocratio and bureaucratic ad ministration of Crown Colonies are set forth R.A.; Captain Thomas, A.S.C. in all their baldness, as was done by the Colonial Secretary in his almost insolent address.

That Mr O'Brien makes no secret that he dislikes Hongkong, its climate, its environs, and its people; -he is in it but trot of it.

That it may be open to question, however, whether his remarks depreciatory of the Colony, and his taking of the unofficials like school-boys, are quite the thing to gratify even his patrons of the Colonial

That even a Secretary of State usually endeavours to cover the iron hand of autocratic government by a soft glove, and style of scolding the community through their representatives is the most suitable for the times.

Members had been naugury boys and had been misbeliaving themselves shamefully during school hours.

personification of the Crown Colony systom, and that in itself must prove an dealings with the poor residents who have to labour here under that system, and who pay for the felicity of being tions were against it. lorded over. That the Unofficial Members have made sad

blunders-in tactics-is quite true, and had they consulted more freely with those Regiment. whom they represent, they might haven avoided those blunders. That if they had stuck to the general prin-

ciple of reducing expenditure, and redemanded the Retrenchment Inquiry, it would have been more sensible than to follow up the wholesale reduction of enlaries.

That but few whom they represented ever supposed the motion for reduction of sa- Hon. T. H. Whitehead's Silverspur. laries was more than a Parliamentary form of raising the question of excessive bard Regiment's Milk Capt. Thomas 2 expenditure and of protesting against the 58cd Regiment's Niblick ... Lieut. Strick 8 continuous and steady increase in the cost | 58rd Regiment's Hardnut, ... Capt. Moore O of administration.

arguments ought to have been advanced in favour of the reduction, and not a there reminder of official promises to reduce salaries when the Colony notually became unable to pay. That the weak front thus presented by

our unofficials invited an incisive and effective rejainder from the official side. and is many points the official had the best of it.

That, as I have already said, the official champian det not know when to stop, and he not only said too much but he said it in an offensive and contemptuous manner.

of reply sufficient to have given the Co-Ionial Secretary as good as he got. That the tone of the Governor's Opening Address was very different in atyle to that

of Mr O'Brien's pay-our-salary oration.
That His Excellency's words at last meeting were few but ill-chosen, and his inference that we were not amenable to reason has given deep offence and will rankle for many a day. That I venture to say His Excellency has

never ruled over a community more ready Mr T. H. Whitehead's Recket to listen to reason, or more fit to recognise rational treatment, when they got it, than the people of Hongkong. That if the harangue of his Colonial Secretary is to be regarded as the sweet reason

to be looked for, then we can better understand Sir William. That it may be admitted the veto must rest in a Crown Colony, with the Imperial authorities at Home, but there is a medium in all things, and the presence of five unofficial members at the Council table is

meaningless if the O'Brien attitude is That if the Commission to inculre into the granted, there would have been no proposal to reduce salaries.

That when we see the Colonial Secretary tell induced His Excellency to refuse the Retrenchment Commission, on the ground Mr Littlejohn's Suzewind, 11.8 that it was the Governor's duty to look of the unofficials' business; it was theirs

able remarks of MrO'Brien at last meeting. of State what really does come within their sphere of action, or whether the popular representation in Hongkong. That Mr O'Brien's bumptioneness will no

doubt bear fruit in due season, That either municipal control, or a majority of Tom Tit, who beat Rocket by a neck. of unofficial members, thust come sooner or later, and then the finished product of by the name of O'Bried, will disappear. that either or both of these concessions could easily be secured by the united and determined action of this community. that the despatch from the Secretary of State dealing with the question of Gaol

extension is interesting reading. pedagogish style, and might have been written by Mr O'Brien himself. That it is pleasant to mote that permission is given by the great Arbiter of our

Prison System to change the roof of a working shed from a ridge to a flat: hat one need not wonder why photographs in three or four positions are required of the cook-houses, etc., when each details are so carefully considered ten thousand

that I hear the Unofficial Members have handed in a memorial to the Governor upon this question of Gaol Extension, in which it is shown how all the alterations requisite can be effected for about

That upon this arrangement of compromise, the instalment of \$60,000 was removed from the Supply Bill, pending the decizion of the Secretary of State. That H. E. the Governor is credited with being at one with the unofficials on this point, and hopes are entertained that the joint representations of the Head of the Executive and the unofficials will prevail.

that if the Colonial Office authorities prove obdurate, some other means of public protest will have to be resorted to, That this much-vexed question of the treatment of hardened native criminals is an.

old grievance and is well worth fighting Capt. Moore, 53rd Regiment BROWNIE.

HONGKONG POLO OLUB SKY MEETING.

Saturday, 3rd December, 1892. President :- His Excellency Sir William Robinson, K.O.M.G. Patron: - His Excellency Vice-Admiral the Hop. Sir E. R. Fremantle, K.C.B.; His Excellency Major-General Digby Barker, C.B.: Commodore Bury Palliser, R.N. Committee :- The Hon. T. H. Whitehead; Captain Reynolds, R.A.; H. L. Smyth, E.q., Shropshire Light Infantry ; J.

Armetrong, Red.; Captain Da Boulay, Honorary Secretary and Treasurer :- F. H. May. Esq. Judge :- The Hon. C. P. Chater.

Starter :- John Grant, Enq. Judges of Tent Pegging :- Liout. Col.

Barrow, H.K. Regiment; Major Faithfull, H. K. Regiment ; Mr Ruck Keene, S. L. L. Handicappers :- Hon. J. J. Bell-Irving, Mr C. S. Taylor, R.A., Mr J. Armstrong. Clerk of the Scales :- J. Armstrong, Eag. Clerk of the Course :- T. F. Hough, Esq.

The Polo Club brought off their Sky Race meeting at the Sappy Valley this it seems passing strange if the O'Brien siternoon. Unfortunately, the day was I cold, sunless and cheerless, and there was in consequence a small attendance. Among That conciliation would have been better | those present, however, were His Excelpolicy, even supposing the Unofficial lency the Governor and Lady Robinson, and Major-General Barker and Mrs Barker. The fields were small, and racing for the That the Official O'Brien is, however, a most part partock of the prevailing duliness. This was not the fault of the management. immense strain upon any man in his Everything had been done to make the meeting go off well, but the westber condi-

> were played by the Band of the Shropehire Details of the races are given below :--Polo Scoray. - Distance 1-mile. For all bond fide Polo Ponios. Catch weights over 11st. 5lbs. Ponies quali-

fied to run for this race to be decided by the Stewards. Riders to be Mombers of the Polo Club. Prize presented by the Polo Club. Entrance, \$2.

Mr F. H. May's Bolere, Owner O That had it been otherwise, the weightlest Mr Landale's Emerald, Owner O A good race. Won by a neck ; a longth between second and third | others close up.

2. TERRE-QUARTERS-MILE RACE. - FOR . Subscription Griffing of any year. Weight for luches as per sonie. Winners and placed ponies at any Race Meeting in Hougkong or China (off days not to count) to carry 10 lbs. and 5 lbs. extra respectively. Prize of \$20 presented by the Polo Club. Second to receive \$5. Third to save steke. Hin-

That it is a pity we have not among the Mr F. H. May's Tom Tit, 10.13, Owner 1 Unofficials a debater with the readiness Mr Oruickshank's Gobang, 11.1 ... Owner 2 Both ponies raced together to the village, when Tom Tit drew out and won Tennily by half a dozen lengtha.

3. THE LADIES' PURSE, -POSTRION RACE. -i-mile. To ride one pony and lead the other. Riders to be playing members of the Polo Club. Entrance, \$2, Post Entries:

Capt, Thomas .. Mr F. H. May's Bolero ... Chestnuts Mr Landale's Partison Regiment's Burrous

Capt. Moore 0 63rd Regiment's { Milk | Lieut, Strick Mr Whitehead's pair had a very easy win ; a longth between second and third.

best form of retrenchment had been 4-One MILE HANDIULE .- For all Chine Ponice. Prize of 225 presented by the Polo Club. Second to receive \$5. Third to save stake. Entrance \$3. even the Governor what his duty is or Mr Willis Parmesan, 11.9 . Lieut Paget ought to be (as appeared in the oration Mr F. H. Mar's Tora Til, 10.12... Owner 2 the other day), it is fairly evident who Hon. T. H. whitehead's Rocket, 11.7 ... Hart Buck 3

That there is a strong likeness between that front, closely attended by Tom Tit. At the dumb-bells. The boys have gone into the Ferghama. utterance and some of the most objection- Plantation Romance was left behind, while physical drill with the full blast of youth-That it would be well if the Unofficial Tem Tit was displaced by Suzewind. Near- ful ardour and have profitted by the patient Mombers were to inquire of the Secretary | ing the Rock Parmesan joined the lenders | tuition given them. Looking to the man- | yesterday, which was attended by upwards and a good race ensued round the bend. attitude of dumb automatous is the correct | Coming into the straight it was a good race interpretation of the present phase of quasi- between Rocket, Suzewind and Tom Tit. After a pelting race Paget's mount caught the judge's eye first, half-a-length ahead

> ing track. For all China Ponica. Weight for inches as per scale. Winners of any steeplechase 10 lbs. more than one steeplechase 20 lbs. extra. Prize of \$20 presented by the Polo Club. Second to receive \$5. Third to save stake. Entrance, \$3.

6.-HALF-MILE RACE -For all China Ponies. Weight for inches as per scale. Ponies other than Subscription Griffins of any year, Hacks, and Polo Ponies, 10 lbs. extra, Prize of \$20 presented by the Polo Club. Second to receive Third to save stake, Entrance,

Mr Willia' Parmesan 11.1...Lieut. Paget 1 Mr F. H. May's 7 om Tit. 10.3 Owner 2 a little disappointing, and the boxing was farms, making open spaces and new streets, Mr Littlejohn's Suzewind, 11.11..... Mr Gray's Gaiety, 10.9 Owner 0 Tom Tit got off with the start, Gajety last. Parmeson was lying behind at the bond, but coming into the straight Paget H. Gedge was by far the letter of the two berley to protest against the proposal of the fright. The bodies of the victims were

brought him along at a spanking pace, and won nicely from Tom Tit by a good length. A bad third. -Tent Precinc Competition-Three.

runs. Points to be given or deducted for pace and style. Prize presented by the Polo Club. Entrance, \$2.-Post Mr D. Landale Capt, Thomas, A.P.D.

Liout. Strick, 53rd Regiment. Mr J. Armstrong Capt. Buchanan, 53rd Regiment The winner was the only competitor who carried off the peg.

.- THE LADIES NOMINATION. - Distance to show how they prepared themselves of nominator, to secompany entry. the Nominators of the first, second, and third ponies. Entrance, \$2.

Miss Barker's Flatterer, Mrs Barker's nomination, Mr Hough, 10yde.... 53rd Regiment's Vampire, Mrs Ravenhill's nomination, Capt. Moore, 40yds Mr Landalo's Emerald, Mrs Hawkins' nomination, Owners, 20yda 53rd Regt.'s Oream, Mrs Helps's nomination, Mr Ruck-Keene, 70yds ... Mr F. H. May's Chestnut, Mrs May's comination, Owner, 10yds..... Mr Cruickshank's Gobang, Miss Parkes' nomination, Owner, agratch...... An enay win,

-ONE-AND-A-QUARTER MILES RACE .accumulative. Prize of \$25 presented the batch of Mr Murphy, by the Polo Club. Second, \$5. Third to save stake. Entrance. \$3. Mr F. H. May's Tom Tit, 10.3 Owner

Mr Littlejohn's Surewind, 11.1. Mr Taylor 3 Mr Gray's Gaiety, 10.9. Owner o Hon. T. H. Whitehead's Viper, 1L4..... Passing the post for the first time Gaicty was leading, with Tom Tit last. At the

Mr Quintet's Romance, 11.7 ... Mr Coutts 2

Plantation Suzewind assumed the lend, and at the Village Tom Tit began to improve During the afternoon selections of music this position, and won by a length from Romance. A bad third.

CRICKET HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB v. HONGKONG FOOTBALL CLUB. Played to-day at the Cricket ground.

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THE ASSAULT-AT-ARMS.

Seldom has a more successful entertainment been given in the Theatre than that of last night. The Committee of the Victoris Recreation Club, in conjunction with the representatives of the 1st Shropshire Light Infantry, and with other analstance. naval, military and oivil, put a bill of fare before the public attractive in every item: The result was a growded house, standing room being with difficulty obtained by the time fixed for the commencement of the proceedings. A fashionable gathering onaunied the dress circle, there being present H. E. Sir William Robinson and Lady Robinson, H. E. Major-General Burker, Commanding H. M. Porces in China : Commodore Palliever, Colonel Mulloy; Hon, J. H. Stewert Lockhart, &c.

After a grand march by the performersor 'gladiators' as they were styled in the programme-a squad from the Shropshire Light Infantry went through the physical drill with arms with a military precision that was most marked. In the course of the evening the boys of Vkaria English members. School, under Corporal Lawrence, Shropshire Light Infantry, gave a very creditable after the administration—that was none Mr Quintet's Romance, 11 Mr Courts 0 at the recent parade on the cricket ground, Yanoff's Russians, who are encamped near H.M.S. Howe. A good start. Rocket first showed to the and followed it up with exercises with the ner in which the boys have worked, it is not too much to suggest more originality and diversity in future exhibitions. This Burne, Keir Hardie, and others made oracould be accomplished without imposing too severe a task on the youthful muscle, and then passed claiming the investricted would tend to increased interest from the right of meeting in Trafalgar Square, and spectators' point of view. The heavier the Colonial Office which sometimes goes 5.—HURDLE RACE.—Once round the train- gymnastic work received full justice from ment to start public works for the unem-Sergeunts Davies, Leah, and Saunders and ployed. Private Wild. Shropshire Light Infantry. and Bombardier Sochete Sugh, Asiatic Arveniting horse, and horizontal bar. Gunners Brunt and Marphy were got up as clowns but showed themselves better gymnasts than funny men. Mr E. W. Lucashad a smart | are closing in Oldham. young class from the Victoria Recreation Club to go through Indian Club exercise. while a squad of Volunteer Artillery went through the sword exercise and I-pounder gun drill. The latter was done very smartly. If few in members at present, the Hongkong Volunteers carrevidently accomplish their work with the efficiency of regulars, and last night they must have created a favourable imprimien. A bout of single-sticks by Sergts Davies and Loah was not so good as has been seen in the Theatre | and extension of sewage and water works. on other occasions. Cardio was obviously THE PROPOSED INCREASE ON AUSTRALIAN unfit to meet Taylor whom many would have liked to see opposed to Corneral Thomas. the champion of the Royal Engineers. The apar between Mesers (Robinson and waited upon Lord Ripon and Lord Rim- have since died. One man died from exhibitions. Both were nimble on their legs Indian Government to increase the transit torn into shreds by the effects of the exand put in a lot of neat didging, and any charges on cable messages to Australia by plosion. All the occupants of the police hitting that was done was of the light and harmless style. The containing Private promised to give the matter their consider- obtained as to the perpetrators of the out-Gracknell, of the Shropahire Regiment, have already been commented on in these THE PROSECUTION OF THE MANAGERS OF THE columns, and it is only necessiry to say that last night his wonderful feats delled forth repeated rounds of applause from the vest audience. Few can have had opportunities | Managers of the Panama Canal Company to see such a fine exhibition of Indian for breach of trust and fraud. It is stated dismay in Paris, Sochate Singh and Gunner Hiem Singh.

> skill and agility were much admired. If few have seen Indian wristling, fewer have seen a war dance by real Pathana Colonel Barrow sent a member of his men under Subadhar-Major Hassan Ali Khan Handicap 1-mile. Winner of any race | when going on the warpath and if he appealed. at any Baco Meeting in Hongkong or allows them to give similar exhibi-Chi a, including Off Days, cannot tions on every occasion when they are enter. Name of rider, who must be a called upon to enter the field to light for playing Member of the Polo Club, and Dritain, and could only get Pritain's ensmies to see them working up to fever heat Prizes presented by the Pole Club to there might be good reason to hope that "the other eide" would capitulate at once Dancing round a fire to the shrill pipe and the lively beating of a tom tom, they prosent a strikingly picturesque and weird once. appearance, and when they began to manipulate their long awards they looked a bloodthirsty crew. The night attack on a British bivouse (on the March to Cobul) which followed was also rellistic, and was a fitting termination to a semi-military assault-at-arms. Sergt. Instructor Tempant. (by whom most of the details were carried musical sentry, was a success, and in mentioning his name in this connection the expected. opportunity may be taken to compliment him on adding to his already well-established reputation as an entrepreneur. It only Open to all China Popies. Weight for remains to be added that the entertainment inches as per scale. Winner of No. 2 | was enlivened by the pleasing strains of the race or No. 4 race penalised 10 lbs. not | band of the Shropshire Light Infantry under

the Asiatic Artillery. Both men showed

THE IMURIS MINES

The following is the mining apport for September :- Referring to the mining operations carried out during the month of September on the different claimy including prospect work and ore extracted :---

Saule Rose, Crass, cutting mrft. at 58 120 Santa Blins, Ore extracted, tonn 25, at \$712. \$6,900 field.
Esuta Ress, One extracted, tonn 10, at \$67..... 700

not include the expenses of administration; viz :- Last year's fees, Doctor, Book-keeper, Foreman of Mines as per cost sheet,

The Santa Eliza Mine has had a shaft sauk on the loge for a denth of 60 ft. proving ore to this depth of first-class quality, which of course tends to prove the statement of estimate by your expert, Mr Duffield when the prospect was first discovered. My figures shawing the value of ore extracted have been taken from the general average, The prospect is looking well with no change to report

Santa Rosa .- I have already stated the work done on this mine and result obtained. The mine has been looking vary poor and in fact I was much inclined to stop workhere as it did not give any satisfactory rosults. I now have to report that on the 7th October a very favourable change took place and the lode has greatly improved. advisable to try and find-some new and pro- to take action against him.

fitable work and am working on a new find which is certainly encouraging as the lode is of considerable width, viz., Over 12 feet from the surface assays \$130 ourrency.

between the walls. The array of stuff taken We are clearing away the lode and I will clegraph you any improvement after our next assay. The cost of making these few cessarches is very little and may prove most advantageous to our company. NEWS BY THE FRENCH

MAIL

ME DILLON THERATERS THE LANDEORDS. exist, and he therefore advocated treating landlords as they were treated in 1860, though he said war and disturbance were

THE COMMISSION ON EVICTED TENANTS. London, November 12.—The Commission for enquiring into the cases of evicted tenants is now visiting estates in various a matter of some difficulty to keep the the tenancy. The withdrawal of two of the dency of the steering gear to carry the ship Irish members from the Commission is confirmed, and it is reported that a third follows. which will then leave only two

RUSSIAN TROOPS THREATENED BY CHINESE. London, November 12, -It is stated that | pierced. the Murghab, and that a relief expedition. including artillery, is being organised at

THE DEMONSTRATION IN TRAFALGAR SQUARE. London, November 14 -A great demonstration took place in Trafalgar Square of fifty thousand people, to commemorate the Bloody Sunday of 1887. The proceedings passed off quietly. Measrs John tions, and counselled their hearers to abstain from violence. A resolution was the control of the police by the County Council. The speakers also urged Govern-

THE LANCASHIRE STRIKE CONTINUES. tillery, who performed on the parallel bars, signs yet of the acttlement of the Lanca- who was killed, and Mr S. P. Brodie, who shire strike. Owing to the late rise in is seriously injured. cotton, the movement among masters to work short time is spreading. More mills

THE DISTRESS IT HOME: A DEPUTATION FROM THE UNEMPLOYED. London. November 15:- A deputation from the nnemployed waited on the County Council vesterday and urged the adoption of measures to relieve present distress. been issued by the Local Government Board, instructing the Boards of Guardians to provide work for the gonuine unemploy- the engine in the presence of her husband, ed, and suggesting husbandry on sowage who was injured.

fifteen centimes. Their lordships, in reply, station were killed. No clue has been

PANAMA CANAL. ernment have resolved to prosecute the explode when turned over, and Charles Leasers, besides two other

directors, and the contractor M. Eiffel. THE EXTRADITION OF A FRENCH ARTIST grand muscular development, and their London, November 17 .- Francoin, the Anarchist, who was arrested in London in connection with the bomb explosion at the Café Very in Paris, was resterday brought up before the Magistrate at Bow Street,

THE INDIAN CURENCY COMVISSION. London, November 17. - The Indian Cur-Merers MacNeil and Stephen Ralli. The ends. examination of Sir Frank Forben Adam has been postponed, owing to his illness. The Committee meets again on Saturday, and will then adjourn sine die, owing to the sitting of the Brussels Monetary Confer-

THE APPOINTMENT OF LORD BORERTS London, November 17.-Neither Gene-

ral Brackenbury nor General Buller desires to succeed Lord Roberts in the Indian Command, Bir Evelyn Wood is chiefly mantioned in Military circles in connection with the appointment. Sir George White out, and who noted as stage manager.) as the and Bir George Greaves are also mentioned. A decision in the matter is shortly or-

MORTALITY CAUSED BY WILD BEASTS. Simle. Nevember 11.-The usual statistics showing the mortality from wild beasts and snakes, and measures adopted for their extermination, are published in the Gazette. The total number of persons killed in 1892 is 2,911, against desperate measures if the police continue 2,440 last year.

Bengal returns 1,584, Madras 279 N.-W. P. and Oudh 236, Burmah 121, the Central Provinces 310, Assam 200, Punjah 65 and Bombay 80 of the whole total.

NEWS BY THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL

MR A. J. BALTOUR AT EDINBURGH. evacuation of Uganda. Mr Balfour expressed his pain and dis-gust at the partiality displayed by Mr Jus-

tice Mathew at the opening proceedings of The above cost of mining of course does | the Royal Commission appointed to inquire into the best means of ameliorating the condition of the evicted tenants in Ireland. PRINCE BISHARCE AND THE GERWAN GOVERNMENT.

Lendon, Nov. o. The newspapers of Austria-Hungary continue to be greatly excited over Prince Binmarck's advice to Russia to seiza Stamboul. officers of State in Germany. Prince Bismarck states that English gold is being used to stimulate Russian hostility. to Germany.

lost to all sense of patriotic restrant; tion of official secrecy.

London, Nov 5 .- The Emperor William alleges that when in power Prince Bismarok, who is strongly opposed to the German Army Bill, prepared a similar army bill, the only exception being that under his bill the coat of increasing the atrength of the army was 120,000,000 marks more than is required under the bill now before the Reichstag.

THE ACCIDENT TO H.M.S. HOWE. London, Nov. 4 .- Vice-Admiral Henry Fairfex, C.B., telegraphs to the Admiralty ful trial trip. She attained a speed of 18 from the scene of the mishap to H M.S. Howe that the ship is not yet floated, and that he is making every effort to secure her on the rocks where she struck.

It is stated that Vice-Admiral Fairland London, November 12.-At a meeting of refused the offer of a pilot made by the the Convention in aid of the evicted Spanish authorities. The Howe, while tenants held at Castlebar yesterday, Mr following the flagship of the British Chan-Dillon said that, failing a reduction of nel Squadron into the harbour of Ferre! rents, their tenants would be unable to mistock her course, and thus got upon the

The guns and ammunition of the vessel have been saved. The reef upon which the House sirual is well known, and the accident occurred in

broad daylight. It has transpired that it has always been districts, and studying the conditions of vessel on her proper course owing to a tenout on the starboard side. Divers who have examined the hull of H.M.S. Howe declare that repairs are im-

assert that the bottom of the keel is not one thousand Chinese troops at present Nov. 6.—H.M.S. Scahorse has left Poris-Mr Taylor o display of calishenies similar to that given threaten one hundred and sixty-five of mouth to assist in attempting to float Union.

THE THIRSE RAILWAY DISASTER. London, November 2 .- The collision at Thirsk took place in a fog, when the East Coast express train collided with a goods train in the Manor House siding. All but two of the carriages involved in the disaste took fire, and were consumed. Fears are expressed that several passengers have los their lives in burned carriages. The express was running at a speed of

one mile per minute when the collision oc The Marquis of Tweeddale and the Marquis of Huntly were asleep in the Pullman car at the time, and parrowly escaped death Nov. 2, 7.15 p.m.—There were 100 pas

songers in the express train which was collision at Thirsk, in Yorkshire. Several of them had booked passages Australia in the R.M.S. Oratova, including London, November 15.—There are no Captain Duncan MacLeod, 42nd Regiment

> Two carriages were piled upon the en gine. These took fire, and were burned, the remaining carriages escaping. Thirteen passengers is all were killed. The accident took place at about 4 o'clock

in the morning. November 8, Mr David M'Culloch was badly injured in the head. His sister is missing, and is supposed to have been London, November 15.-A circular has burned to death. Her little niece was killed. All were proceeding to Australia. One woman was burned to death under The wife of Sir Donald Stewart was in

THE FRENCH ANARCHISTS. Nov. 9, - Two policemen, who wer London, November 16 .- The Crown dreadfully injured by the explosion of Agents of the Australian Colonies yesterday bomb in the Avenue de l'Opera. Paris,

It appears that the bomb was intended to destroy the directors of the Carmaux Poris, November 15 .- The French Go- Mining Company. It was made so as to The cutrage has caused a feeling

wrestling as that given by Bombardler that the defendants will be Messrs Ferdinand An exciting debate, arising out of the outrage, took place in the Chamber of De puties. M. Loubet, the Premier, was so cused of causing the outrage through hi weakness in dealing with the Carmani strikers. M. Loubet replied that such outrages indicated a return to bar arism. He declared that those who excited the passions of the people were destroying the who granted his extradition. The prisoner Republic. A vote of confidence in the Ministry was carried by 359 to 94.

The Carmaux miners held a meeting after the outrage, and denounced the use rency Commission yesterday examined of dynamite as a means of securing their

SOCIALIST BIOT. London, Nov. 8 -- A gathering of socialists, at which about 2000 persons were present, has been held at Chent, Belgium, to advocate the cause of universal suffrage. A riot ensued, and the police and military were ordered to charge the mob, which was done. Many persons were injured. MOBBING A NEWSPAPER OFFICE.

London, Nov. 8. - The unemployed have made an attempt to mub the office of at. James's Gazette, Dornat-street, Whitefriam. E.C. The paper had described an unemployed mosting as being composed o loafers and lade. The police having dispersed the gathering, an interview was sought with the editor, but he declined to either withdraw the remarks complained o or apologias.

Nov. 9 .- A number of the nnemployed leaders in London have made incendiar speeches. They threaten that a quarter of a million men will be driven to resort to to provoke them.

THE BACCARAT CASE. London, Nov. 1 .- The Court has deliver. ed its reserved judgment upon a case if which the trainer for the Marquis of Ailesbury sued a Scottish farmer pamed Maxwell for the sum of £5000, in respect of a cheque given by the latter to Lord Ailes bury and representing the winnings of the Marquis at baccarat. It was contended that Maxwell was intoxicated while playing London, Nov. 9. - Speaking at Edinburgh | at bascarat with the Marquis of Ailesbury last night. Mr Balfour asserted that the and gave his cheque while he was in that members of the Ministry had decided to condition. The Court held that Lord abstain from attending the Lord Mayor's Ailesbury at the time he accepted the hanquet at the Guildhall to-day, owing to cheque was aware of Maxwell's drunken differences between Sir William Barcourt state, and, further, that the choque had and Lord Rosebery on the question of the been given for an illegal consideration. The suit of the trainer against Maxwell was, therefore, dismissed, with ocata THE EXCHANGE OF CANZERAR FOR MELIGOLAND.

London, Nov. 7 .- In the course of an interview Prince Bismarck denounced the exchange of Zanzibar for Religoland. He declares that Heligoland is uncless to Germany, and will fall at the first attack. THE PASSAGE OF THE DARDANELLES.

London, Nov. 4. - The Berlin press condemns Russia's demand for a free passage of the Dardanelles for Russian vessels oar-Interviewers continue to publish Prince rying war materials intended for the Bismarck's vicious attacks upon high Enxine ports. The French press supports Russia in her demand. A SOCIETY AFFAIR.

London, Nov. 1-Lady Mabel Emily Louise Brudenell-Bruce, only sister to the BARONETER- 9 A.M. ... 30.28 The Kreuze Zeitung laments the spectacle | Marquis of Allesbury, who was recently. of a national leader with a great past being married to Mr Robert Sevior Sotton. well known at Melbourne race-meetings a Nearly all the other German journals few years ago as the cash bookmaker. cenance Prince Biamarck. Some advise has informed a society paper that she juited the Emperor to proceed against him for a Lieutemant Crosbie, to whom she was to breach of military discipline and a viola- have been married, because he required the bulk of her fortune to be settled on himself. Prospecting. Having all the none to pick The Emperor William is annoyed by the She has issued a writ against Lieutenant from I have considered it necessary and attacks of Prince Bismarck, but he refuses Crosbie for the recovery of £75, which she lent to him after the Accot races.

MISCELLANEOUS. London, Oct. 31 .- Mrs Little, who was passenger by the steamship Doric, hound for New Zealand, committed suicide in throwing herself overboard in the English

Channel, while suffering from the effects of ses sickness. London, Nov. 1 .- The P. and O. Company's new steamer Australia, a sister ship to the Himalaya, has performed a success-

The Duke of Fife, K.T., has consented to become a member of the committee for arranging the holding of a Pan-Britannis athletic fostival, as proposed by Mr J. Astley Cooper. London, Nov. 2.- A panie was caused in a church at Vinagora, in Austria, doring service. Twenty-five persons were trenin-

led to death, and many others were President Harrison accepted England's proposal inhibiting the sale of arms and spirits in the islands of the Pacific. Prince Albert of Monaco and the Princess, while yachting off Toulen, have had a narrow escape from drowning. Miss Mearns, an Australian contralto, will join Madame Melba in her coming

tour of the British provinces. London, Nov. 8. - A sum of £701.000 in gold has been withdrawn from the Bank of England during the week. possible, but the Amiralty officers stoutly Mr Arnold Morley, the British Post. master-General, has reinstated six out of eight postmen who had been disrated for having attended meetings of the Postmen's

> London, Nov. 4. The new Russian war ornisor Rurik, 11,000 tons, has been launched at St. Petersburg. The cruiser. will be capable of steaming 26,000 miles. without recoaling. London, Nov. 7. -The death is announced of Mr Theodore Child, the traveller

and magazine writer. Russia has demanded a war indemnity of £4,000,000 from Turkey. London, Nov. 8 .- The Loudon Chamber of Arbitration in commercial cases will commence its sittings on the 23rd instant. Mr H. H. Asquith, the Home Secretary is enforcing the clause in the Factory Act of 1891, requiring employers to keep a list of outworkers' addresses, which shall be open to inspection. This action has been

taken with the view of preventing sweat-Mr Paul Kruger, President of the Transvaal Republic, announces that it is contemplated to bring in a bill placing lo. eigners on an equal footing with Transvaal burghers within 14 years. It is rumoured that Russia will require three millions sterling in gold within three The members of the Hungarian Cabinet

of Count Julius Szapary have resigned, and the Emperor has accepted their resignation. The French Radicals, headed by M. Clemencean, are seeking to form an Alliance with the Socialists Messre. Mudie have withdrawn leam their library the recent diary of Major Le Caron, on account of the charges of libel

brought against its publisher. The Hobbs's wallpaper factory, Brook. lyn, New York, has been destroyed by fire, and the damage done is estimated at one million dollars (about £200,000). The whaling ship Helen Mar has been crushed by iceberge in the Arctic Sers, and 35 of her crew were lost. Only five mon were saved. She belonged to San Francisco.

A number of convicts in the prison at Ronen, awaiting exile to New Calcionia broke out into a revolt, and nearly strangied a warder before the rising was London, Nov. 9 .- Archduke Ferdinand d'Este, son of the heir presumptive to the

throne of Austria, will visit Sydney at the ond of March. It is suggested that the bankrupley of Mrs Parnell is connected with the Irish National League funds banked in Paris. Captain Stavely Gordon, nophew of General Gordon, has been married to Miss

Annie Stafford, daughter of Sir Edward Quotations. Hongkong, December 3, 1892 OPIUM-New Patne, cash, ... 580 ... cash.... New Benares, cash, 580 New Malwa credit. 520 Allowance, Oatties, 17/5 Old Malwa, credit, 530/40 Allowance, Catties, 13/44 Persian, Oily, cash, 500 Allowance, Catties, 2 Persian, Paper tied 470/80 Allowance, Catties, 2/3 Exchange. Hongkong, December 8.

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PROGRESS IN AERIAL NAVIGATION: In constructing a flying machine which is intended to be navigated by living engineers, precautions must be taken to ensure their safety. A very large sero. plane has to be provided to prevent a too rapid fall in case of a stoppage of the machinery, and this, of course, adds to the weight and to the power required to drive it. But should a flying machine be considered as only an social torpedo for carrying high explosives and dropping them at a point twenty or thirty miles distant, then the bulky seroplene could be replaced by a by lack of nourishment. The night of this form large number of long narrow blades, or of illness is always full of ghosts and goblins, wings, placed one above the other (super-| the creatures of a restless and ungoverned imposed), which would lift much more for their weight and the power required to drive them, and would enable the machine my work, for I had a wife and family depending to fly much faster. A machine of this kind could be governed as relates to height above the earth after the manner of a common water torpedo, while its direction could be controlled with a great degree of upon automatic steering-gear, constructed in such a manner that it could be instantly get to steer automatically to any desired point of compass, and the machine could to come in touch with them. be made to let go its bomb, or to fall itself with the remainder of its naphtha after the medical treatment had left him where it found screw had made a predetermined number him he chanced to read in a book of a case exof turns.

data be at hand. How much more expen- has never returned since that fortunate day. sive must they be when conducted on a should like the whole world to know what it did large scale in a field where all the data for me. I have been employed by the Midland must be obtained by long and laborious Railway Company for eleven years. experiments, in which many machines and expensive apparatus have to be invented and constructed simply to obtain the necessary data! Such experiments are too expensive to be conducted for any considerable time by private individuals. The French experiments were conducted by French officers at the expense of the Government; they extended over a period of fifteen years, and have all been conducted for the purpose of rendering the balloon manageable. At the date the experiments were commenced no motor had ever been made which was powerful enough in prowithout a gas-bag, and in much less time evolve their present 'dirigeable' balloon, Winton. and thus render it quite as unsafe to attempt the invasion of England through the air as it now is by water.

air (flying machines). The ingenious scient Kennington Perk, London, S.E., Eng. tist, engineer, and electrician, M. Trouvé, with partial success, on account of 20, Hatton, London. the great weight of his motor. The German army is experimenting with dirigeable balloons, and I have been informed by a Russian officer that the Czar has spent over 1,000,000 roubles out of his private purse on the asroplane system; but it is asserted that his motors never weigh less than 200 lbs. to the horse-power; consequently actual flight is impossible. When the question is solved, as it is sure to be in the immediate future, the whole aystem of modern warfare will be changed. Big ships armed with big guns will not be able to protect themselves, much less the country they belong to, from attack, and nations will not be so ready to go to was when each is armed in such a manuer as to make it quite as dangerous and disagreeable to the rulers themselves as to the common soldier. If a warlike Continental nation should be the first to achieve complete success, it would probably make its power feit, and rearrange things to suit its own ideas; but when all the great actions find out how to fly successfully, then there will be no more war between them, and the great armaments which have existed so long will, happily, become a thing of the past. A congress of nations will become a sine gud non, and let us hope that we, the Angle-Saxons, on account of our immense numbers, our wast possessions, and our enormous wealth, will be permitted to the Portnightly Review.

HOW SHALL WE DECIDE THIS QUESTION? Now, which is the worse—to have no appetite

for your dinner, or to have no dinner for your There are lots of people on the one side or the other of this question. When good digestion ! waits on appetite and health on both, that is the ideal attitude of a person towards his meals. But most of us are not blessed in that way; we either have too much food without an appetite, or a vigorous appetite without enough to satisfy it. Different folk will enswer this question differently, yet the common sense of it is that, within reasonable limits, it is better to have an appetite without a dinner, because, short of the starvation line, a hungry man is a healthy man; whereas a man who ought to est and doesn't feel like esting stands in need of elterations and

munication in which the writer says, 'I was pany's Black Bills of Lading. To illustrate. We recently received a comafraid to est. Did he fancy his food was nourishment lived on? If the latter, why? Let |pany'e Office. him clear the mystery himself.

He says, In the year 1889 I changed my for MARSEILLES. work from railway porter to signalman, I had been signalmen twelve months, and then all at once, so to speak, I did not feel myself. My W. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. month tested bad, so that ordinary articles of diet seemed to lose their flavour; the palate, to put it in that way, appeared to have nothing to nay to them. One thing was like another, and none was good. My tongue was conted and forced, with a dark line down the middle and yellow for round it. My breath was offensive and my apposite poor, with pains through the chest and shoulders, which were always right before I had eaten anything. Then I was great-ly toubled with wind. It would gather so it feliziike a ball in my throat, and act as if it

would chose me. We cannot wonder that under these circumstances our friend failed to do justice to his meals. He adds that there was what he calls " pricking sensation" at his heart, as though it were touched with some sharp instrument. Then, again, at times he was attacked with spence, the agony of which was so severe that

the sweat rolled off him. 'I dreaded, he says, the thought of eating, and many a scanty meat have I made, for I was afraid to cat. After a time I got into a low, weak, nervous condition, and fold miserable, as if something wes going to happen, and this caused me to lose a good deal of sleep.

What he means by the fear of something going to happen is, of course, the fear of some calamity, such as the loss of his position, his own death, or the death of somebody dear to him. This was due, as he intimates, to the impoverighed state of his blood (the life bearer), his anstrung nerves, and to the brain enleabled

on me. So I struggled on, but what I suffered for over two years is past my powers of description. I am sure no one has suffered so much as

In the latter statement he is undoubtedly wrong. One's own pain is one's own, and nicety by a magnetic needle operating always harder to bear than is one's notion of his neighbour's pain. There is a countless multitude who are all the while going through the same wrotched experience, only we don't happen

Well, the writer finally mentions that after all Experiments in any field of research are bottle at Mr Langstaff's, in Woodlesford, and always extremely expensive, even if all the after using its contents the ailment left me and

> Car Bottom Road Apportoy Bridge, near Leeds. We publish this by Mr Hunt's desire, in order that part of the world at least may know how thankful he is and for what reason.

SINGULAR BUT TRUE. It is singular, seeing how much depends on good health, that a little more pains is not taken to impress on the people a few simple rules for its preservation. Thus, bad drainage is the main cause of typhoid fever, which hills 20,000 people in England yearly. Small and low bed-rooms engender consumption and portion to its weight to raise itself in the loss of vitality unless well ventilated, not onlygir. These experiments have cost some in the day-time, but at night. An ill-ventilated millions of france, and as far as actual bedroom is a frequent cause of sleeplesaness. French far ahead of all other nations in ventilated bedrooms. That is the chief cause brought the balloon to about as high a may be said that people have a right to be filthy. | Cleveland, Ohio in agrical mayigation, I think we should turn reason there is greater logic in prosecuting a Niagara Falls, N.Y., Buf-to that of the so-called 'dirigeable' bal- Judge Miller, who writes:_' Court House, loon. Complete success may be a long Winton, Queensland, June 16, '91.-Lust De-necessary to success may not be the work Winton, I was suddenly seized with a violent of any one man, but I do believe that a attack of vomitting and diarrhea. On my arstaff of pagineers and scientists could be rival at Winton, Mr Campbell of Corneld and Dollars. found among the Anglo-Saxon race, with- Fitzmanrice) persuaded me to take Ciements out going outside of England, who, if Tonic; one dose relieved me. I continued to Missionaries, members of the Navai, provided with unlimited means, could I was completely recovered, and I have much produce a machine that would actually fly pleasure in testifying to the beneficial effects I experienced from taking it.-Granville George than it took the French engineers to Miller, judge of the Central District Court,

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